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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Greg HETHERINGTON  
Serial no. : 09/898,948  
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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
PROCESSING FREE-FORMAT DATA  
Group Art Unit : 3624  
Examiner : Ella COLBERT  
Docket : GRIHAC P22AUSD1

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

[XXX] A CHECK FOR THE FEES INDICATED BELOW, BASED UPON THE APPLICANT'S SMALL ENTITY STATUS, ACCOMPANIES THIS RESPONSE.	
PETITION FOR 1-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$60
TOTAL	\$60

In response to the official action mailed January 28, 2005, please enter the following  
before reconsideration of this application.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claims 57, 65-66, 76, 84, 95-102 and 104-106, without prejudice or  
disclaimer of the subject matter therein, and amend claims 54, 56, 58-63, 67, 69, 70, 72, 73,  
75, 77-82, 85, 90, 92-94, 103, 107-110 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by  
underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by strikeout or brackets. Please enter the  
amended claims into the record of this case.